WELCOME AND CONGRATULATORY RESOLUTIONS

- H.C.R. 44 (Lyon): Honoring the Reverend Dr. Paul Powell of Tyler.
- S.R. 48 By Johnson: Extending welcome to the Reverend S. M. Wright.
- S.R. 59 By Barrientos: Extending congratulations to Jeannie Hartman and Charles Pircher.

RECESS

On motion of Senator Brooks, the Senate at 4:08 p.m. took recess until 11:00 a.m. tomorrow.

THIRTEENTH DAY

(Continued) (Thursday, February 12, 1987)

AFTER RECESS

The Senate met at 11:00 a.m. and was called to order by the President.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

By unanimous consent, Senator Farabee submitted the following report for the Committee on State Affairs:

C.S.S.B. 141

By unanimous consent, Senator Jones submitted the following report for the Committee on Finance:

S.B. 368

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

House Chamber February 12, 1987

HONORABLE W. P. HOBBY PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

- SIR: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed the following:
 - S.C.R. 16, In memory of Robert Richard Thornton.
- S.C.R. 19, Declaring the 1991 U.S. Olympic Festival an official statewide celebration in the event that San Antonio is selected as the site for the festival.
- H.C.R. 14, Congratulating Don Chaney on being named Broadcaster of the Year.
- H.C.R. 16, Recognizing Willis and Quinctella Griffin of Lindale, who donated the heart and kidneys of their son so that another man might live and for their praiseworthy promotion of organ donations.
- H.C.R. 39, Honoring Austin W. "Goose" Gonsoulin for his award-winning career in athletics and for his civic and business accomplishments.

H.C.R. 48, Declaring February 17, 1987, as Susan B. Anthony Day in Texas.

Respectfully,

BETTY MURRAY, Chief Clerk House of Representatives

SENATE BILLS ON FIRST READING

By unanimous consent, the following bills were introduced, read first time and referred to the Committee indicated:

S.B. 369 by Harris

Economic Development

Relating to the capital and surplus requirements for life, health, and accident insurance companies.

S.B. 370 by Harris

Economic Development

Relating to the capital and surplus requirements of insurance companies other than certain life, health, and accident insurance companies.

S.B. 371 by Caperton

Jurisprudence

Relating to joint custody of children by managing conservators.

S.B. 372 by Caperton

Education

Relating to the purchase of supplies, materials, services, or equipment from state funds appropriated for research projects.

S.B. 373 by Farabee

Jurisprudence

Relating to the service of process on a nonresident administrator, executor, or legal representative of a nonresident.

S.B. 374 by Uribe

Finance

Relating to exempting from ad valorem taxation the property of nonprofit television and radio stations that provide cultural, educational, or public interest programming.

S.B. 375 by Parmer

Natural Resources

Relating to prohibiting the use of steel-jawed leghold traps in certain counties; providing a penalty.

CO-AUTHORS OF SENATE BILL 167

On motion of Senator Lyon and by unanimous consent, Senators Harris and Leedom will be shown as Co-authors of S.B. 167.

CO-AUTHOR OF SENATE BILL 367

On motion of Senator Parker and by unanimous consent, Senator Whitmire will be shown as Co-author of S.B. 367.

RESOLUTION SIGNED

The President announced the signing in the presence of the Senate the following enrolled resolution:

H.C.R. 21

GUEST PRESENTED

Senator Harris was recognized and introduced Dr. George Mekker of Carrollton, the Capitol Physician for the Day.

Dr. Mekker was welcomed by the Senate and received an expression of appreciation for his service.

NOTICE OF CONSIDERATION OF NOMINATIONS

Scnator Edwards gave notice that he would on Monday, February 16, 1987, at the conclusion of Morning Call submit to the Senate for consideration nominations to agencies, boards and commissions of the State.

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS EXTENDED TO SENATOR ZAFFIRINI

The Senate noted that Senator Zaffirini would celebrate her birthday tomorrow and extended greetings to her for that occasion.

CONGRATULATORY RESOLUTIONS

H.C.R. 14 - (Lyon): Extending congratulations to Don Chaney on being named Broadcaster of the Year.

H.C.R. 16 - (Lyon): Recognizing Willis and Quinctella Griffin of Lindale.

ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Senator Brooks, the Senate at 11:05 a.m. adjourned until 11:00 a.m. Monday, February 16, 1987.

APPENDIX

Sent to Governor (February 12, 1987)

S.C.R. 30

SIGNED BY GOVERNOR

(February 12, 1987)

S.C.R. 30 H.C.R. 21

FOURTEENTH DAY

(Monday, February 16, 1987)

The Senate met at 11:00 a.m., pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

The roll was called and the following Senators were present: Anderson, Armbrister, Barrientos, Blake, Brooks, Brown, Caperton, Edwards, Farabee, Glasgow, Green, Henderson, Johnson, Jones, Krier, Leedom, Lyon, McFarland, Montford, Parker, Parmer, Santiesteban, Sims, Tejeda, Truan, Uribe, Washington, Whitmire, Zaffirini.

Absent-excused: Harris, Sarpalius.

A quorum was announced present.

The Reverend James T. Bethel of St. David's Episcopal Church, Austin, offered the invocation as follows:

O God, the fountain of all knowledge, whose will is good and gracious, and whose law is truth. Send down upon the members of this Senate, the members of the House of Representatives, and William, our Governor, the spirit of wisdom, charity, and justice. Direct them in their efforts to establish a budget for our State which will provide for the needs of all the people.

And Father, we remember that for our sake, Your Son, Jesus, was condemned as a criminal under the rule of Pontius Pilate: Guide these senators in their deliberations concerning the urgent needs facing our State prison system.